

HOUSE BILL No. 1969

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 3-7-31-4.

Synopsis: Voter registration. Requires voter registration forms and the receipt given to the voter upon registration to contain a unique identification number to permit tracking of forms by election and voter registration officials.

Effective: July 1, 2003.

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January 23, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on Elections and Apportionment.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 3-7-31-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
2 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2003]: Sec. 4. (a) A form used to apply for
3 registration at a license branch must comply with 42 U.S.C.
4 1973gg-3(c)(2) and 42 U.S.C. 1973gg-3(d).

5 (b) A form used to apply for registration at:

6 (1) a public assistance agency designated under IC 3-7-15;

7 (2) an agency serving persons with disabilities designated under
8 IC 3-7-16;

9 (3) an additional office designated under IC 3-7-18, IC 3-7-19, or
10 IC 3-7-20; or

11 (4) an office of the department of employment and training
12 services designated under IC 3-7-20.5;

13 must comply with 42 U.S.C. 1973gg-5(a)(6).

14 (c) **Each form used to apply for registration must contain the**
15 **following:**

16 (1) **A unique identification number to permit tracking of**
17 **forms by election and voter registration officials.**



- 1 **(2) An acknowledgment that:**
2 **(A) may be a detachable part of the registration form;**
3 **(B) must set forth the name and residence address of the**
4 **applicant and the date that the application was completed;**
5 **and**
6 **(C) replicates the unique identification number for the**
7 **application required by subdivision (1).**

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